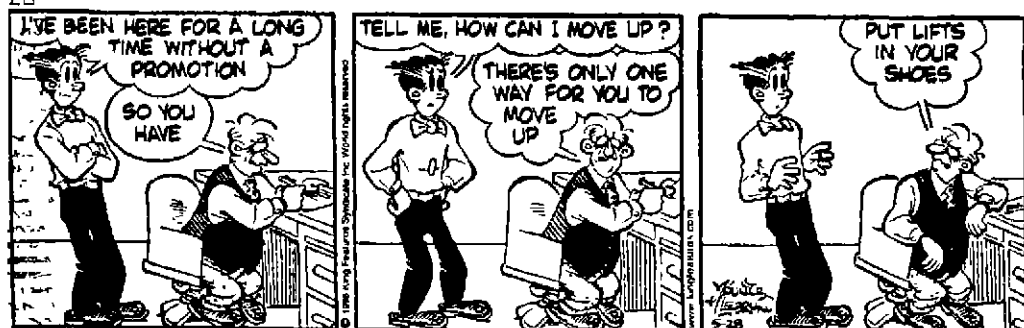


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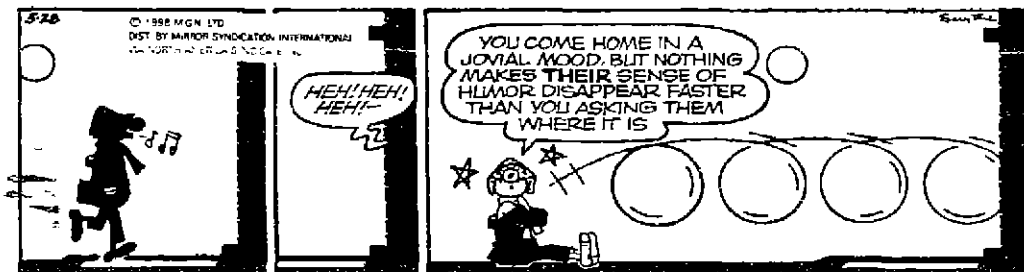
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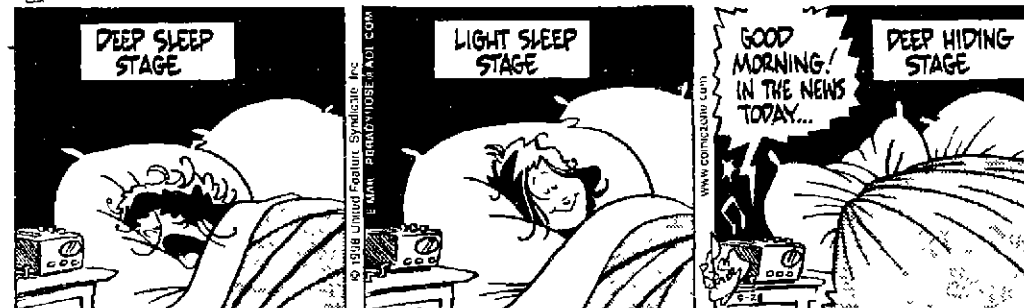
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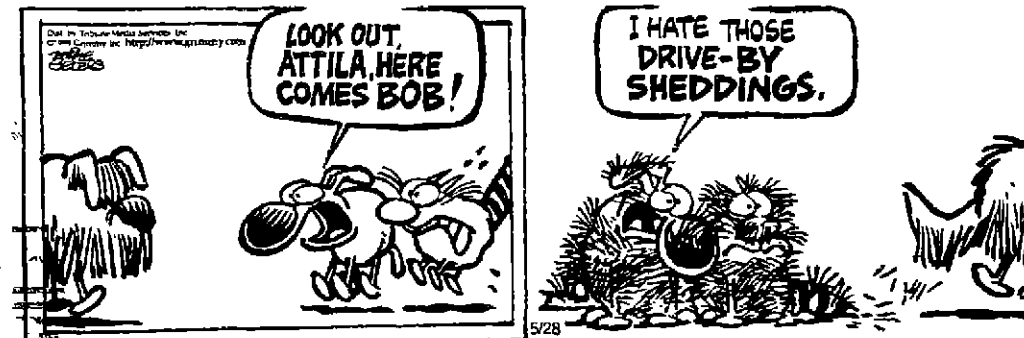
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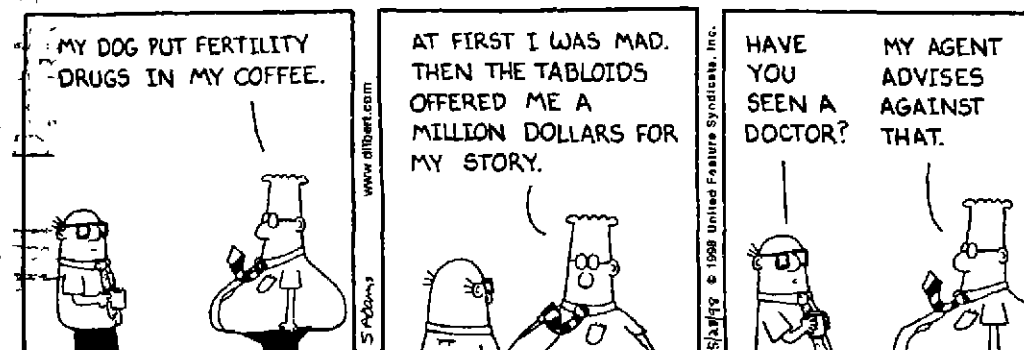
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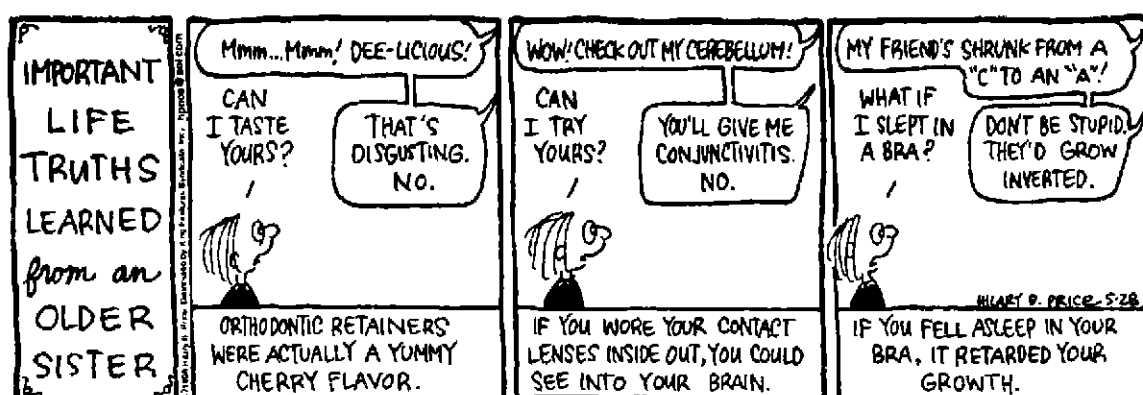
DENNIS THE MENACE



FAMILY CIRCUS



RHYMES WITH ORANGE



HOROSCOPE

For Friday, May 29, 1998

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) You're in a belligerent mood as the day begins. Fortunately, you snap out of it in time to avoid a spat with a colleague.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) You're in a silly mood, but that's fine. The weekend is upon you, and your mind is on happy social activities.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You're happy that everyone seems to agree about a work project. However, be sure that each person's talents are applied in the proper area.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Vacationing is on your mind. While browsing through those glossy brochures, be sure that you'll be getting the most for your money.

LEO (July 23 to Aug. 22) Nothing much is going on, and that just suits you fine. Work hums along routinely.

VIRGO (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) You have a lot to do. Don't let all that work stand in the way of time spent with family.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Your mind is not at its sharpest. You have to settle for the way a certain project turned out.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Discussions related to sensitive issues such as politics are likely to come up at work.

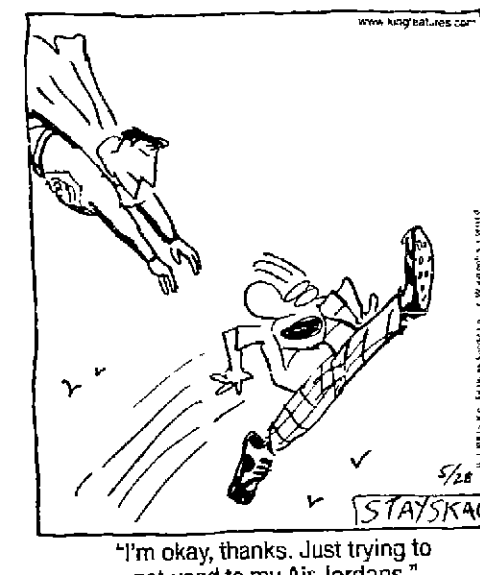
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Things don't go as you'd planned, but that's all right. You jump right into the fray, surprising yourself a bit.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) Your co-worker's kindness impresses you. It's the first sign that he or she cares about you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) You're lagging behind the rest of your co-workers on a certain project, but there's no shame in taking a back seat.

PISCES (Feb. 19 to March 20) You impress those around you with an unexpected show of style.

RALPH



WORD SLEUTH

Gold glove catchers

U U R O L R M I E B Y V S Q N
K H E B Y W A T R O L J G E B
Y W Z T U R N L P N K I G D B
Z X Y E O V W S L O Q O M K I
G E C E U R A A G O Y W U S Q
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K J H F N C G U D R S E O S I
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Wednesday's unlisted clue: REGGIE

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

Thursday's unlisted clue hint: JOHNNY -

Alomar Fisk Lollar Rodriguez
Boone Fosse Manwaring Santiago
Carter Howard Munson Torre
Crandall Hundley Pena

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For solution, see Classified.

N.Y. TIMES CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

1 They can be full of falafel
6 Chart fillers
10 Ticket to ride
14 "Bonanza" name
18 Nails down
16 — the ground floor
17 Elizabeth Taylor film — With Judy
18 Reunion goer
19 Stops: Abbr.
20 They're dropped off in flocks
23 First name in despotism
24 Sexton or Pope, e.g.

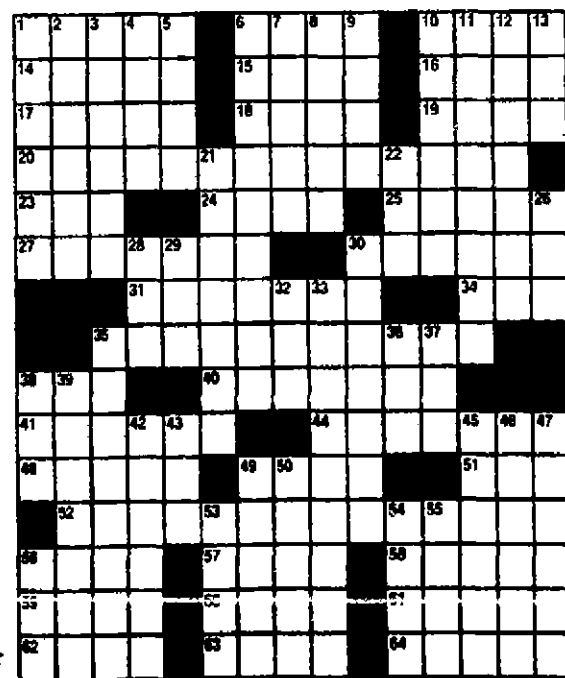
25 — Wreck
27 Inveigh (against)
30 Kind of income
31 Like some 60's rallies
34 Litterae or musica
35 Sign of nervousness
36 Pampering place
40 Spies on
41 "Yeah!"
44 Beat at the polls
46 Slashed phrase
48 Mideast summiteer
51 Beatnik's digs
52 Former U.S. Surgeon General
56 En — (how some judges sit)

DOWN

1 Unruffled
2 Chemical salt
3 Like "Romeo and Juliet"
4 Pier, in architecture
5 Visionary
6 Algae remains
7 Critical
8 Opinion
9 Fictional wirehair
10 One who drops a line
11 Receivers
12 Oven
13 Starship officer: Abbr.
21 Closing statement
22 Spots
23 Part of 54-Down
24 Chemical suffix
26 Correction
28 Penultimate letter

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

ALIBI LAMB OAUD
MILAN ONEA UNTO
AMENS BOAZ EKES
TAXATION LAWS ARE
LEG ACT
AMA AKA ART AFL
BASED UPON SUPPLY
ENID TWO DRAS
MAE VAN ERA LEA
BAN ENE
OEMANOSWESUPPLY
ARAD ALAN KOREA
RICE TODD AXIOM
KEEL EWES HYMNS



Puzzle by Elizabeth C. Gerde

33 Chosen one
38 Like some grins
39 Back muscle, for short
37 Exposure for Madonna?
46 Intro
48 Unwanted buildup
47 Ford classics
49 Walt Disney's middle name
50 Biblical gift
53 Norse poetry collection
54 Coll. senior's exam
55 Sunshine State county
56 Float

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